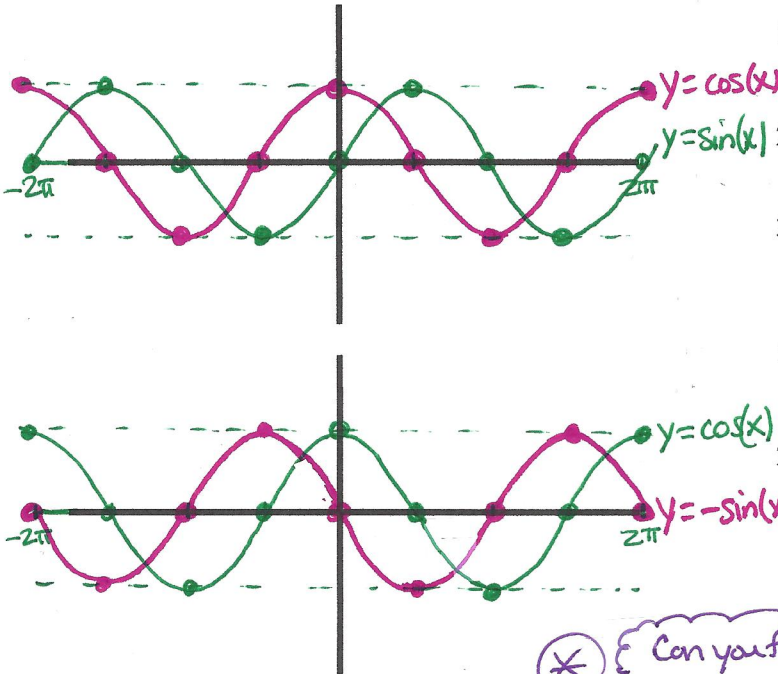


ANSWER KEY

§3.5 The Trigonometric Functions and Their Derivative – Student Notes



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* Can you find $\frac{d(\cot x)}{dx} = ?$ and $\frac{d(\csc x)}{dx} = ?$

4. Use the quotient rule to find $\frac{d(\tan x)}{dx} = \frac{d\left(\frac{\sin x}{\cos x}\right)}$

$$\frac{d(\tan x)}{dx} = \frac{\cos x \cdot \cos x - \sin x \cdot (-\sin x)}{\cos^2 x}$$

$$= \frac{\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} = \frac{1}{\cos^2 x}$$

$\sec^2 x$

5. Use the quotient rule to find $\frac{d(\sec x)}{dx} = \frac{d\left((\cos x)^{-1}\right)}$

$$\frac{d(\sec x)}{dx} = -1(\cos x)^{-2}(-\sin x)$$

$$= \frac{\sin x}{\cos^2 x} = \frac{1}{\cos x} \cdot \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$$

$\sec(x) \cdot \tan(x)$

Differentiate:

a) $y = 2 \sin(3\theta)$

$$\frac{dy}{d\theta} = 2 \cos(3\theta) \cdot 3$$

$$\frac{dy}{d\theta} = 6 \cos(3\theta)$$

b) $y = \cos^2 x = (\cos x)^2$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \cos(x) \cdot (-\sin x)$$

$$= -2 \sin(x) \cos(x)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\sin(2x)$$

c) $y = \cos(x^2)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\sin(x^2) \cdot 2x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -2x \cdot \sin(x^2)$$

ID: $2 \sin(x) \cdot \cos(x) = \sin(2x)$

d) $y = e^{-\sin t}$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = (e^{-\sin t})(-\cos t)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = (-\cos t)(e^{-\sin t})$$

e) $y = 2 \tan(3t)$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2 \sec^2(3t) \cdot 3$$

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f) $y = \tan(1-\theta)$

$$\frac{dy}{d\theta} = \sec^2(1-\theta) \cdot (-1)$$

$$\frac{dy}{d\theta} = -\sec^2(1-\theta)$$

g) $y = \cos(x) \sin(x)$ product rule

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\sin(x) \cdot \sin(x) + \cos(x) \cdot \cos(x)$$

$$= \cos^2 x - \sin^2 x$$

$$= \cos(2x)$$

h) $y = e^x \sin x$ product rule

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = e^x \cdot \sin x + e^x \cdot \cos x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = e^x (\sin x + \cos x)$$

i) $y = \sin(3x) + \cos(2x)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \cos(3x) \cdot 3 - \sin(2x) \cdot 2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 3 \cos(3x) - 2 \sin(2x)$$

ID: $\cos(2x) = \cos^2 x - \sin^2 x$